

*Nicholas County
Office of the Judge Executive*

Proclamation

*Greetings to whom all these presents
shall come, know ye that*

- WHEREAS, Kentucky was the first state of the trans-Appalachian wilderness, a gateway to the West; and
- WHEREAS, Thousands of settlers passed through this verdant land of diversity and contrast, some staying, and some moving on; and
- WHEREAS, From earliest times, Kentuckians have left records, diaries, letters and images which capture for us their day and time; and
- WHEREAS, This documentary legacy is a rich heritage of all Kentuckians that informs our understanding of our shared historical experience; and
- WHEREAS, These records are preserved and made available in numerous archives, special collections, libraries, and other repositories across the state; and
- WHEREAS, The records of Nicholas County are important in documenting the history of our Commonwealth; and
- WHEREAS, The work of archivists and others who care for these resources is of lasting benefit to this and future generations of Kentuckians.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Larry Tincher, County Judge/Executive commend those who care for our documentary heritage, encourage all citizens of Nicholas County to learn more about our archives, and declare the period, October 9th - 15th, 2005, to be KENTUCKY ARCHIVES WEEK.

Done this day 6th, Oct., 2005, in Carlisle, Kentucky.

Larry Tincher J/E

